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THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

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CAVENDISH SUB-BRANCH
W. E. REID, MANAGER

Dollar Day Sales are money savers. You will agree after you have given Brodie's advt the "once over."

The monthly meeting of the Castle Coombe, Women's Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Wesley Rivers on Jan. 14 at 8:30 p. m.

Copy for changes of advt. brought into this office after noon on Monday of each week will POST-VELY not be taken notice of until the following week, unless other arrangements happen to be made with the publishers.

United Church

Sunday, Jan. 11. — Sunday School and Adult Bible Class at 2:30 p.m. Public worship, 7:30 p.m. You are cordially invited. Prayer meeting and bible study Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Avoid Cold Weather Troubles

Have Your

Car Magneto Charged

Magnets Tested Free

J. WILLIAMSON

J. W. Hamilton, has been in town this week auditing the School Board books.

Wilson Hughes, left this morning on a trip to Swift Current.

A little spark, a little oil, A piece of tin and a 2 in. board, Put them together and you've gotta Ford

Wm. Engelbrecht, of Leader, was in town this week, and is reported to be considering opening a wholesale liquor store in his hotel building.

Annual Meeting B. of T.

The annual meeting of the local Board of Trade is due next Thursday evening, Jan. 15. Last year this was the signal for a big membership campaign and 200 members were secured as a result. Although there have not been a great number of meetings held this year the Board of Trade has always been on the job where its influence could assist in the gaining of some district or civic improvement. Experience has shown us that what concerns the good of the majority and not of the individual is generally allowed to slide, everybody "leaving it to George." It is this neglect which makes it imperative for live cities and towns to have in their midst an organization such as a Board of Trade. Because we aspire to be among the real live go-ahead towns, it is for us to make our Board of Trade as strong as possible.

Hard times, war, and again hard times have materially stopped the progress of our town, but despite these setbacks we have steadily forged ahead, and this year we again want to see a big line-up on the local band wagon. Don't forget the date, Thursday next, January 15. Come along to the municipal office at 8:30 p.m., and help make 1920 a banner year for our town.

Get your hockey shoes, toques, mitts and gloves at Blodgett's. Reduced prices on all winter goods.

Mr. W. E. McKibbin of Three Hills, Alta., is spending a few days with his sister Mrs. F. J. Conn. Mr. McKibbin recently returned from overseas, where he has spent four years, having enlisted with the 63rd Battalion at Calgary. Being a telegraph operator, he was transferred to the Signallers on his arrival in England and spent two years as Signalling Instructor, and two years more with the Canadian Corps Signalling Company in France.

Social Plains

A very enjoyable New Year's Eve dance party was held in the schoolhouse. The dance was given by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Davidson, who have been out recently united in matrimony. A large party of neighbors attended and all had a regular old-fashioned good time. A delicious supper was served at midnight. Mr. Grant Antrim made a few congratulatory remarks to the bride and groom. Mr. Davidson, responded with thanks. Dancing recommenced after the floor had been cleared and continued until 4 a.m. Mr. Vern Meade was floor manager. Douglas Mitchell, of Millenit; who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, over Christmas and New Year, leaves for his home on Saturday's train.

Wm. Roland who met with an accident to his eye has found it necessary to go to Calgary to consult an eye specialist.

Chas. Stewart who was at one time a resident of Social Plains is visiting at the home of Harvey Opsal.

Joe Swinbourne and Miss Marjory Gow "snapped" off to Empress one day recently and were quietly married. They are residing on the Wm. Hawkins farm which Mr. Swinbourne has rented. We wish them good luck and success in their new venture.

The U. F. A. held a meeting at the school house, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 7th, at 2 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stone motored to the Wilson ranch last Sunday. They found the roads to be very heavy.

Quite a few of the young people were down to the dance on New Year's eve.

The hockey match, Fats vs. Slats, on Tuesday afternoon, resulted in a win for the fade-aways by a score of 5-2. An even break was made in regard to the noiseless twins, D. Lush playing for the Fats and W. Leach for the Slats.

A Letter From Geo. Grennell

Casper, Wyoming
Dec. 28th, 1919

Dear Friend:
I got your most welcome letter tonight, 28th, and sure glad to hear from you. It's the first letter I've got from home since I got here. You know I felt more at home around Empress than anywhere I've ever been, except where I was born, you know.

Well, I've got a new job. I am with the Midwest Oil Co. I am in the pipe gang, \$8.50 per day, 7 hrs. The work is not hard and the time goes fast. There are about 1700 men in the plant. You see they pump this crude oil about 40 miles from Salt Creek and then it goes through a process and it makes about 25 by reducers. The plant covers about 100 acres and it is a network of pipes. They can load 150 oil cars at once which takes about half a day, so you can see the size of the plant. Casper and the whole state is oil mad. The city has a pay roll of \$1,000,000 a month and we get paid every two weeks, so you see a fellow has lots of chance to wink the right eye. Lean wink both of mine, hal ha!

The company is putting in 3 switch engines the first of the year and I got a bid in for one. I had a nice visit from Bert Leeper. You know he lost his brother. He was mayor here and a fine fellow too.

They have an aeroplane school here and 7 planes. You can see one most any time you look up. I am going up today...

Your Friend as Ever,
Geo. Grennell

At a meeting of the Empress Bachelors Club held in the Club rooms, Tuesday, Jan. 6th, 1920 at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing new officers for the present year, the following officers were elected: President and Chairman, A. McDavid; Director and Buyer, E. G. Chapman; Secretary-Treasurer, R. H. Best.

Notes of First Meeting of New Council Board

The first meeting of the new Village Council, took place on Monday, January 5.

J. N. Anderson, was elected Reeve, and R. M. Henierson, Secretary-Treasurer for 1920. Prices of water by barrels tanks has been raised. The new schedule of prices is effective January 19.

The Council will be active in the scheme to form a Municipal Hospital District.

F. D. Sparrow has rented the north-end of the fire hall for residential purposes at a monthly rental of \$15.00.

Weddings

Swinburne - Gow — At the manse, Empress, on Tuesday, Dec. 17th, Joseph Holmes Swinburne was united in marriage to Marjorie Ann Caroline Gow, both of Social Plains, Alta.

Brewster - Grooms — At the manse, Empress, on Tuesday, Dec. 30th, George Brewster, Empress, Alta., to Constance Grooms of Downham Market, Norfolk, England.

Harrison-Latter—on Thursday, Jan. 1st, 1920, at the manse Empress, George Edward Harrison, Josephine, Sask., was united in marriage to Frances Latter of Maidstone, Kent, England.

Grand Theatre

EMPRESS, ALBERTA

Friday and Saturday

Jan. 9 and 10

Wallace Reid

in

LESS THAN KIN

He changed his mind about living another man's life when the other man's wife and children appeared!

Admission - 35c, 15c

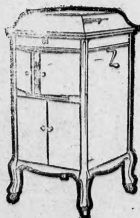
SAVE AND PROSPER

The companions of Victory are Work and Thrift. If the people of Canada practise these essentials, our great problems of reconstruction can be settled to the mutual benefit of all.

Don't waste! Save and prosper.

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THURSDAY, Jan. 8, 1920

Storage of Ice for Summer Use

Any unoccupied corner of a shed will serve for the purpose. A rough board enclosure 10 feet square and 8 feet high will hold enough ice to provide 50 pounds per day for 180 days, after allowing for a reasonable amount of wastage. The smaller the quantity stored the larger is the proportion of waste.

The bottom of the enclosure should be covered with one foot of sawdust. If the soil underneath is impervious clay it will be all the better if there is a few inches of gravel under the sawdust. A space of one foot should be left between the ice and the boards to be filled with sawdust, and the ice should be covered with about the same thickness. It is the sawdust which keeps the ice from melting. The drier the sawdust is the better the ice will keep, and it is a good plan, as the ice is removed during the summer, to throw out from time to time the driest of the sawdust where it will be under cover and continue to dry out and thus be in the better condition to be used again the following year. The ice should be cut in blocks of uniform size and packed as closely together as possible.

Marsh or "slough" hay or any fine wild hay which grows in low places gives the best results. If hay is used, the space around the ice or instead of the ice and the walls or between being only 1 foot, should be at least 2 feet, into which the hay must be well packed. The ice should also be covered with about 2 feet of the hay.

BOARDING HOUSE

Good clean meals, reasonable prices. Near R. H. Depot, West of new Bank of Commerce building.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes

Farmer's Column

Chesterfield G. G. A. Mees

Chesterfield Local G. G. A. held their first meeting of 1920 in the Public Hall on Friday, Jan. 2nd.

After business had been transacted a very pleasant evening was spent in games and card playing. Everybody thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Next meeting will be held on the 16th and will be followed by a dance to which all are cordially invited.

To G.G. and U.F.A. Locals In the Empress District

The editor of the "Express," has kindly consented to condense all the farmers news, and any items of interest from the various farmers associations around Empress, under this heading and form a farmers column. You are earnestly invited to make the column a success. Mayfield Grain Growers will do their share. Now its up to you.

Says Washington Fruit Farmers

Hard Hit By Cold Weather

Yakima, Wash., Dec. 29, 1919

To the "Empress Express" Empress, Alberta

Dear Sir:

Will the editor be so kind and allow me space for the following lines:

It was on an early Sunday evening (Dec. 7th) when I arrived at North Yakima, the largest city in Benton County with a population of about 30,000 inhabitants. On this very day this town witnessed the beginning of one of the coldest snaps Yakima never boasted upon. It was as if I had brought woe over these so tender and fine feeling stone orchards from Canada, who does not know any fear for Mr. Winter. The temperature went down more and more every day and on Dec. 12 and 13 the thermometer showed 25 below zero, something very unusual for this country, for as a rule the temperature does not lower below zero and stands in Dec. and Jan. mostly from 10 to 40 above. Therefore it happened that this winter has done more harm to the orchardist than any other previous winter and for the simple reason because more trees have been planted and more and put into orchards, all according to the

progress of the country and it is therefore believed that this unusual cold spell of late November and early December has killed practically all fruit trees in upper Benton County, except apples and sour cherries. The farmers consider their cherry trees worth from five to ten times as much as the land on which they grow and all they can now do is to begin with the stumps and grow another orchard. It appears to me that the stumps are in a good position.

Canadian Pacific Railway

Change in Train Service

Effective January 15th, 1920, there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at Empress will be: No. 95 No. 570 No. 971 No. 61 Daily ex Sunday Daily ex Sunday

J. E. PROCTOR, District Passenger Agent, Calgary.

NOTICE

Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual School Meeting, for the School District of Empress No. 3135, will be held at the "Kitchen School," Empress, on Wednesday, the 14th day of January; at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., standard time, for the transaction of business prescribed by the School ordinance.

All Ratepayers are requested to be present.

Dated at Empress, Alberta, this sixth day of January, 1920.

R. M. Henderson, Secretary-Treasurer.

ALL conditions point to the highest average price being paid for butterfat during the year 1920 that has ever been paid, even exceeding 1919. This is the best argument we can put forward in asking you to increase your production of cream.

Your shipments will receive our attention. We guarantee prompt returns and highest market prices.

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W. L. Trimble, Manager

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GEO. A. DURK Interior Decorating Carpenter and Contractor Estimates and Designs Submitted Empress - Alberta

R. M. HENDERSON REAL ESTATE Conveyancing Loans, etc. Agent for Canada Life Assurance Company Centre Street Empress

To begin the New Year right and to convince you that Your Dollar will still do excellent work at our store, we have decided to have a Four-Day "Dollar Sale," January 10 to 14.

Below is a List of Real Bargains, we will have on our tables for you to choose from.

GROCERIES

4 Bottles Catsup	-	-	1.00
14 lb. Apples	-	-	1.00
5 cans Corn	-	-	1.00
5 cans Tomatoes	-	-	1.00
5 cans Pork and Beans	-	-	1.00
16 lbs. Onions	-	-	1.00
1 pkg. ready-cut Peel, 1 p. Dates, 1 p. Raisins	-	-	1.00
5 cans of Salmon	-	-	1.00
2 j. stuffed Olives, 2 j. plain Olives	-	-	1.00
6 lbs. Japan Rice	-	-	1.00

8 packages Kellogg's Corn Flakes	1.00
1 pail Apricot Jam - -	1.00
3 cans Corn on Cob - -	1.00
1 lb. Tea, 2 lbs Loaf Sugar -	1.00
11 cakes, Lavender Soap -	1.00
17 cakes, Lennox Soap - -	1.00
6 lbs. Sago - -	1.00
8 lbs. White Beans - -	1.00
3 cans Sweet Potatoes -	1.00
10 cans Carnation Milk -	1.00
6 lbs. Tapioca - -	1.00

3 lbs. Cleaned Currants	-	1.00
5 packages Raisins	-	1.00
25 lbs. Potatoes	-	1.00
1 can of Peaches, 1 can of Pears, 1 can of Blackberries	-	1.00
2 ¹ lbs. Baking Powder, 2 ¹ lbs. Baking Soda	-	1.00
2 ¹ lbs. Fancy Biscuits	-	1.00
1 2 cakes Glycerine Soap	-	1.00
3 p. Evaporated Cherries	-	1.00
5lb. pail of Snaps	-	1.00

\$1

1 pr. Boys Winter Mitts	1.00
1 pr. Men's Pullovers	1.00
Men's Heavy-Knitted Mitts	1.00

3 prs. Men's Cloth Mitts	1.00
Asst. Men's Fine Shirts	1.00
8 Men's Collars - - -	1.00
20 Spools of Thread -	1.00

Men's Soiled Underwear	1.00
Asst. Men's Caps	- 1.00
Asst. Women's Misses and Children's Rubbers	1.00

Asst. Men's Neckwear	1.00
Women's house Slippers	1.00
Women's Hose, reg 1.25	1.00
2 prs. Misses fine Hose	1.00

\$1

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Choice Roasts

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Washington Fruit Farmers (Continued)

he has no chance to break even over the average year.

One more year like the one we had and we will be forced to chop down our orchards and replant them or grow alfalfa.

Even nurseries, where the climate is forced, are badly handicapped by the freeze of late and it is foreseen that there will be a great shortage in every fruit growing and nursery section of the Pacific northwest.

Besides, an estimation of how much fruit was found frozen, brought the total to one fourth, counting the number of every variety of fruit and potatoes frozen in warehouses and you will find it not exaggerated when one reaches the 50 per cent, and if the prices of fruits and vegetables had not been extra high, it would stand to reason that a good many orchardists, who have beyond doubt done well in the fruit business this year, would not have preferred the way they did. Moreover, Washington's boom has been greatly crippled for years to come; it has suppressed the vitality of that country.

It is therefore that I want to warn the farmers of the Empress district and especially those who may be discouraged, not to leave the one country before he knows the exact conditions of the next country, for remember that every house has its cross as well as every county its drawbacks. Good times will come everywhere; there is no country made so bad that has

not its good sides, and no country made so good that has not its bad sides, and with this in view one should never get discouraged. Stay with the country and the country will prove a success.

Yours truly,
John Boes

The Wrong Kind

A Swede came down from the woods, entering a saloon, asked for a drink of good old squirrel whiskey. The bartender said: "We have no squirrel whiskey, but we have some good Old Crow." "Oh, Yudas!" said the Swede, "I don't want to fly; I just want to hop around a little."

Curling Results

	WON	LOST
Pybus.....	5	5
Rowles.....	2	8
Crosbie.....	6	4
Poal.....	6	2
MacCharles.....	7	2
Hayes.....	5	4
W. Clark.....	0	6
Watt.....	6	5
Leach.....	7	3
Boswell.....	5	5
Ussack.....	5	5
Kenny.....	2	6
Robertson.....	3	4
I. Clark.....	4	5
Keith.....	3	3
Keith.....	7	2
Dawdy.....	3	4
McEachern.....	6	3
Hoyd.....	3	5
Hall.....	8	2
Bindloss.....	4	3
Scott Brown.....	5	4

Wednesday evening saw the first night's play in the President and Vice President's Curling Contest. The evening's games gave the Vice-President's side a lead of 8 points.

TEMPERATURES

The following are the temperatures of the preceding twenty-four hours—maximum and minimum—for:

Wed. Dec. 31.	15ab.	7b.
Thurs. "		
Friday, Jan. 2	30 "	8 "
Sat. " 3	34 "	9ab.
Mon. " 5	34 "	9 "

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Tickets good for Four [4] Barrels or One

Tank when taken in one delivery	1.50
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"TANK Tickets," good for Twenty [20]

tanks at Well House	22.50
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R. M. HENDERSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

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tree seedlings, rooted cuttings
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belts, ornamentals, hardy
shrubs, vines, roots, etc.
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sive territory, experience not
necessary. Start now, best sel-
ling time.
STONE & WELLINGTON
Toronto, Ontario

Canadian-American Trade Relations

In America's last fiscal year Canada sold \$400,000,000 of her products in the U.S. Market, but purchased there \$700,000,000 of goods. Thus \$1,100,000,000 of Canadian-American trade was affected by the fluctuations in Canadian Exchange. We maintain separate Foreign Exchange Departments under specialists at our New York, London, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver Branches, to offer you the fullest measure of assistance in your trade financing.

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Grain Prices

AT EMPRESS, Thursday, Jan. 8

Wheat No 1, Nor.	1.92	No. 2, 1.90	No. 3, 1.85
Flax	4.35	Oats	.78
Barley	1.28	Rye	1.40

Masquerade date, Feb. 13.

Your Dollar will do double
service at Brodie's Dollar Sale.

J. Niwa, left Wednesday
on a trip to Regina.

John Freiss, of Prelate, ar-
rived here on Tuesday, and is
assisting in the local printshop.

Dr. MacCharles, has been ap-
pointed health officer for the
Rural Municipality of Mantario.

A good number attended the
Moccasin Dance, New Year's
night.

Safe and sure Bargains are
yours if you attend Brodie's
Dollar Day Sale.

G. M. Johnston, left on Wed-
nesday morning on a trip to
Medicine Hat.

A case of alleged assault, G.
Martyn vs. L. and A. Lambert,
was tried in the local court on
Monday. The case was dismis-
sed.

School recommenced in the
senior classes of the local school
on Monday. Junior grades re-
commenced on Tuesday.

L. White, of the local staff of
the Union Bank, left on Tues-
day morning for his home at
Lethbridge.

Mrs. W. C. Boyd and Mrs. J.
Lawcock, have been confined to
their homes with sickness, this
week.

The New Year's hockey
game, Empress vs. Leader, on
the local ice, resulted in a win
for the home team by a score
of 6-1.

Harry Gersacki and his part-
ner proprietors of the Princess
Confectionery, have purchased
the Palm Cafe in Regina.

Catholic Services will be held
next Sunday, Jan. 11, at the
residence of Mr. Bernier, at
9:15 a. m.

Get your typewriter supplies,
printed stationery, counter
check books, etc. from the Em-
press Express.

The R. M. of Mantario are
holding their next meeting in
the Chestfield Hall, and will
hold several meetings there
during the year. The more
northern part of the municipali-
ty has previously been favored
with these meetings.

A surprise party was held at
the home of Mrs. H. Reddy, on
Monday evening. Mr. Reddy
has been expecting to be trans-
ferred to another "division" of
the C.P.R. but has no definite
advice at present.

Meurs. D. McEachern, A.
Keith, M. G. Boyd and R. Pool,
(skip), were a visiting rink at
the Gabri hospital. They were
successful in bringing home the
bacon; obtaining second prize
in one of the trophy contests.

Two rinks, skipped by W.
Leach and Dr. MacCharles,
outdied Oyen, on Wednesday.
In friendly games of skating
with local rinks, they succeeded
in winning three of the four
games played.

W. Middleton, returned on
Friday last from Calgary, where
he spent the Christmas holi-
days.

Mrs. J. Sharp, and family re-
turned last week from Calgary,
in which city they have been
residing for a short period.

Miss Norma A. Sexton, who
has been visiting with Mrs. E.
S. Sexton, during the past three
months, left for her home at
Lethbridge, on Tuesday morn-
ing, in the company of Miss
Orr, Moose Jaw.



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ble Pullers, 5-Feet, Emerson Zan-
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Fords, Horses or Cattle.—J. W. Ham-
ilton or R. M. Henderson, Empress 34

See subsection 2 of section 211 Rural
Municipality of Mantario No 262.

NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT

Empress, Dec. 16th, 1919
Impounded on the premises of Roy
W. Bell, N.E. 1/4, S. 26, T. 23, R. 28, W.
3rd, Empress, Alta.
One Bay Gelding, white star on forehead
and white ring on one hind foot,
just above hoof. Weighs about 1600
lbs., no brands visible.
Dated at Empress, this second day of
January 1920.
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